



**Service of Process
Transmittal**

04/10/2015

CT Log Number 526922137

TO: Kim Lundy Service of Process, Legal Support Supervisor
Wal-Mart Stores, Inc.
702 SW 8th St MS 215
Bentonville, AR 72716-6209

RE: Process Served in Illinois

FOR: Wal-Mart Stores, Inc. (Domestic State: DE)

ENCLOSED ARE COPIES OF LEGAL PROCESS RECEIVED BY THE STATUTORY AGENT OF THE ABOVE COMPANY AS FOLLOWS:

TITLE OF ACTION: Martin Joann, Pltf. vs. Wal-Mart Stores, Inc., etc., Dft.

DOCUMENT(S) SERVED: Summonses, Notice(s), Complaint, Affidavit(s), Attachment(s)

COURT/AGENCY: Cook County Circuit Court - Sixth Municipal District, IL
Case # 20156002968

NATURE OF ACTION: Personal Injury - Failure to Maintain Premises in a Safe Condition - 04/27/2013 -
10260 Harlem Avenue, Village of Bridgeview, Cook County, IL

ON WHOM PROCESS WAS SERVED: C T Corporation System, Chicago, IL

DATE AND HOUR OF SERVICE: By Process Server on 04/10/2015 at 09:30

JURISDICTION SERVED : Illinois

APPEARANCE OR ANSWER DUE: 05/05/2015 before 09:00 a.m. (Document(s) may contain additional answer dates)

ATTORNEY(S) / SENDER(S): Gino P. Naughton
7220 W. 194th Street
Suite 103
Tinley Park, IL 60487
815-469-8300

ACTION ITEMS: CT has retained the current log, Retain Date: 04/13/2015, Expected Purge Date:
04/18/2015
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Email Notification, Kim Lundy Service of Process ctlawsuits@walmartlegal.com

SIGNED: C T Corporation System

ADDRESS: 208 South LaSalle Street
Suite 814
Chicago, IL 60604

TELEPHONE: 312-345-4336

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENT, SIXTH DISTRICT20156002968
CALENDAR/ROOM 0208
TIME 09:00
PI Other

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Plaintiff,)

vs.)

WAL-MART STORES, INC.
a foreign corporation)

No:)

Amount Claimed: Greater than
\$30,000.00 plus costs of this suit.)RETURN DATE ~~April 28, 2015~~ May 5, 2015)STATUS DATE: ~~May 5, 2015~~ May 28, 2015)

COURTROOM:)

TIME: 9:00 A.M.)

SUMMONS:**PLEASE SERVE DEFENDANTS:**Wal-Mart Stores Inc.
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DOROTHY BROWN, Circuit Court Clerk

Date of Service, 201

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DIE DATE 04/25/2015
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DOC.TYPE: SUMMONS
CASE NUMBER: 15M6002968
DEFENDANT
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CHICAGO, IL 60604
STE 814

SERVICE INFO:
RTN 05/05 RM 208

ATTACHED FEE: \$0.00

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- 5. Late filing of an appearance or answer will not relieve you from a judgment or default order except by court order.
- * 6. Trial Rights of Property, Detinues, and Revivals of Judgment, Pro Se, and Forcible Detainer suits are returnable in Room _____ and are disposed of on a Return Day unless otherwise ordered by the Court.

*Pertaining to third district only.

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COMPLAINT AT LAW

NOW COMES the Plaintiff, JOANN MARTIN, through her attorney, GINO P.

NAUGHTON and complaining of the Defendants, WAL-MART STORES, INC. AND states
as follows:

1. That on and prior to the 27th day of April, 2013 the Defendant, WAL-MART STORES, INC. a foreign corporation, controlled, maintained, managed, owned, and operated a store located at the address of 10260 Harlem Avenue, Village of Bridgeview, County of Cook, and State of Illinois.

2. That at the aforesaid time and place, the Plaintiff, JOANN MARTIN, was lawfully upon said premises in her capacity as an invitee, shopping at the Defendant's store.

3. That at the aforesaid time and place, the Plaintiff, JOANN MARTIN, was in the exercise of due care and caution for the safety of her own person and property.

4. That at the aforesaid time and place, the Plaintiff, JOANN MARTIN was injured when a rail surrounding the frozen food doors brke and caused her to fall, due to an unreasonably

dangerous condition on said premises, to wit: a defective rail in front of the frozen food doors failed and caused her to fall.

5. That the aforesaid unreasonably dangerous condition was present on said premises consequential to the negligence of the Defendant, as herein set forth.

6. That it then and there became and was the duty of the Defendant, **WAL-MART STORES, INC.** by and through its operation, management, maintenance, and control of its store, to be free from any negligent acts and/or omissions toward the Plaintiff, **JOANN MARTIN**.

7. That at the aforesaid time and place, it was the duty of the Defendant, **WAL-MART STORES, INC.**, a foreign corporation, to exercise ordinary care and caution for the safety of the plaintiff.

8. That notwithstanding said duty, the Defendant, **WAL-MART STORES, INC.**, by and through its agents and/or employees was guilty of one or more of the following negligent acts and/or omissions:

- a. The Defendant failed to properly maintain the railing in the customer area surrounding the frozen food doors, when the Defendant knew, or in the exercise of ordinary care should have known, that the railing and its placement;
- b. The Defendant failed to make certain that the customer area was free from dangerous conditions like the defective rail.
- c. The Defendant permitted and/or allowed the aforesaid unreasonably dangerous conditions to be present when the Defendant knew, or in the exercise of ordinary care should have known, that such conditions created a situation of imminent danger for persons, such as the Plaintiff, lawfully upon said premises.

9. As a direct and proximate result of one or more of the foregoing careless and/or negligent acts and/or omissions by the Defendant, **WAL-MART STORES INC.**, the Plaintiff, **JOANN MARTIN** was injured and suffered damages of a personal and pecuniary nature.

WHEREFORE, the Plaintiff, **JOANN MARTIN**, prays judgment against the Defendant,

WAL-MART STORES INC., for damages in an amount greater than Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars plus costs of this suit.


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